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"Untold Agony from Catarrh."

Prof. W. HAUSSLER, the famous mesmerist, of *Ithaca, N. Y.,* writes: "Some ten years ago I suffered untold agony from chronic nasal catarrh. My family physician gave me up as incurable, and said I must die. My case was such a bad one, that every day, towards sunset my voice would become so hoarse I could hardly speak above a whisper. In the morning my coughing and clearing of my throat would almost strangle me. By the use of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy, in three months I was a well man, and the cure has been permanent."

"Constantly Hawking and Spitting."

THOMAS J. RUSHING, Esq., *2303 Pine Street, St. Louis, Mo.,* writes: "I was a great sufferer from catarrh for three years. At times I could hardly breathe, and was constantly hawking and spitting, and for the last eight months could not breathe through the nostrils. I thought nothing could be done for me. Luckily, I was advised to try Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy, and I am now a well man. I believe it to be the only sure remedy for catarrh now manufactured, and one has only to give it a fair trial to experience astounding results and a permanent cure."

Three Bottles Cure Catarrh.

ELI ROBBINS, *Morgan P. O., Columbiana Co., Pa.,* says: "My daughter had catarrh when she was five years old, very badly. I saw Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy advertised, and procured a bottle for her, and soon saw that it helped her; a third bottle effected a permanent cure. She is now eighteen years old and sound and hearty."

DR. A. S. WALTZ,

—DENTIST.—

Office over Barber & Baker's shoe store 123 East Main street, Decatur, Ill.

B. I. STERRETT

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

Office over the Postoffice, Decatur, Illinois.

ARIZONA ODDITIES.

Rambling Notes on Mountains, Mines and Indians.

[Special Correspondence.]

PHENIX, A. T., July 20.—When Columbus made the egg stand on end, no doubt several of the spectators at once said: "Why, any body could do that." And now that we are opening rich mines in Arizona and rapidly increasing our output of silver bullion, all the new comers wonder why it was not done before. Wild Indians and want of transportation account for the delay; for it has been known for over a century that the region was rich in minerals. Indeed, any expert in mining can see that this is a mining country, for the exposed rocks show it. In the deep cuts one may see granite, slate and quartzite, and all the schistose and metamorphic rocks which indicate the vicinity, or at least the strong probability, of the precious metals. But there are many very sudden changes in the rock of this territory. Nearly all the high plain in the northern part—6,000 or 7,000 feet above the sea and 300 miles from east to west—is in a sandstone formation, and so there is nothing better to be hoped for than thin seams of coal and iron.

The big Colorado, however, cuts so deep that you can find all the rocks in its walls, and I have been at one place on that river where the southeast wall showed from top to bottom these changes—soft limestone, dark sandstone, red sandstone, gypsum, very hard limestone and then a sort of whitey gray grit and under it crystallized rock and granite. You can go up a canyon or along benches and find all these rocks, and the engineers say that the south wall of the big canyon there is over a mile straight up and down. The San Francisco peak is 11,000 feet above the sea, and all the mountains south of that have precious minerals—gold and silver, as well as copper and lead. You come down hill very fast in this direction from San Francisco, but Prescott is still over a mile above the sea, and we come down hill still faster from there to this river—the Gila. South of here the country rises again, and there are the rich mines which have attracted most attention. It is a very hot country in the low plains and not at all cool on the plateaus in the day time, but the nights get very cold. I have known the mercury to vary 40 degs from noon to midnight for many days together in June and July. Hot days and cold nights turn a man brown very fast, and I don't think one of average health would ever get fat in this country. Indeed, I think the climate has a tendency to make a fellow lean and lathy like the wild Indians.

I always had a great curiosity about the Indians, and in 1873 I made a long trip across the Navajo country, and spent many weeks idling among that people and the Zunis and Moquis. But you cannot tell much about Indians from what they say now. So many travelers and missionaries have been among them, and they have heard so much about what white people expect them to say, that they manufacture it to suit the market. You have to get an old and mighty honest Indian (as Indians go) if you get their real judgment about such things as heaven and hell, a Creator and a hereafter. I have heard and read a great deal about a deep religious instinct among the Indians, but those who found it had better look than I ever did. I have seen all the tribes from Winnipeg to Chihuahua, and I never saw an Indian pray. And as far as people have told me who did see it and hear their prayers, they only prayed when they wanted something very bad—game or fish or vengeance. As near as I can make out, they have an idea that it is very rude and ill mannered to bother their gods unless there is an extreme necessity for it, and I am told by those who understand the language that they generally wind up a prayer with a solemn promise that if their god will help them out this time they will not ask him again for ever so long! My guess would be that the Indians are mostly fatalists. J. M. S.

Potatoes should be kept in a cold, dark, dry place, as also all jellies and jams.

A Post Route in Russia.

It must, however, be borne in mind that the Russian post route is a very different thing from the old English post route, and that the Russian horse express differs widely, not only from our own western "pony express," but from the horse expresses of most other countries. The characteristic feature of the west European and American systems is the stage coach or diligence, which leaves certain places at certain stated hours, or, in other words, runs upon a prearranged time schedule. It is precisely this feature which the Russian system does not have. There are, generally speaking, no stage coach lines in Russia, the vehicles which carry the mails do not carry passengers, and, away from the railroads, there is no such thing as traveling upon a fixed time schedule. You are never obliged, therefore, to wait for a public conveyance which leaves at a certain stated hour, and then go through to your destination in that conveyance stopping when it stops and starting when it starts, without regard to your own health, comfort or convenience.

On the contrary, you may ride in your own sleigh or carriage, and have it drawn by post horses. You may travel at the rate of 175 miles in twenty four hours, or twenty-four miles in 175 hours, just as you feel inclined. You may stop when you like, where you like, and for as long a time as you like, and when you are ready to move on you have only to order out your horses and get into your vehicle. It makes no difference in what part of the empire you may happen to be, nor to what part you may wish to go. Send your padorozhnaya to the nearest post station, and in twenty minutes you will be riding away at the rate of ten miles an hour, with your postal order in your pocket and a hundred relays of fresh horses distributed at intervals along your route.—George Kennan in The Century.

Editor Dana's Royalty.

Editor Charles A. Dana receives a royalty of six and a quarter per cent on each volume sold of the "American Cyclopædia," and thus far he has realized over $100,000 from this source alone.—Home Journal.

The French government has organized a competitive exhibition of machines for decorticating ramie, to take place in August next at Paris, and 30,000 francs have been appropriated to defray expenses.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or your money refunded. Price, 25 cents per box. For sale by John A. Swearingen.

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Attention, Republicans!

Go to John Irwin's White Front for a Hat—Price $1.50 and $2.00. 8-d4

OPENING of the Fall term of the Musical College Monday, Sept. 3rd. Pupils are especially requested to arrange for time before Sept. 1st. Corner Main and William streets. aug4-td

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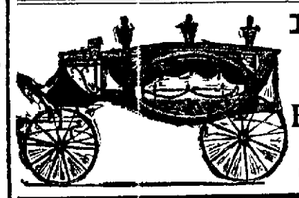

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Had it not been for Lactated Food our little baby must have died. She has been using it for three months and is a plump healthy rosy cheeked baby.—*Mrs. Mollie Lapp in Nelson's L. F.*

Sleep All Night, Happy All Day

We tried other foods but finding none to agree with our little girl we used your Lactated Food. She began at once to gain flesh and improve in health. To-day she is as bright lively and hearty as any child can be sleeping twelve hours at a stretch and waking up laughing every morning.—*Wm. S. Travis, 1376 Dundas St., Toronto, Ont.*

Cutting Teeth Easily

Lactated Food is an excellent food for teething children. My baby is using it and is cutting her teeth this hot weather without any trouble.—*Mrs. Minnie O. Brant, Indiana, Mo.*

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Our baby had Cholera Infantum so badly we tried Lactated Food, we could find nothing to stay on its stomach. We tried your Food without any trouble, and soon recovered.—*Mrs. S. W. Logan, Wilkinsburg, Mo.*

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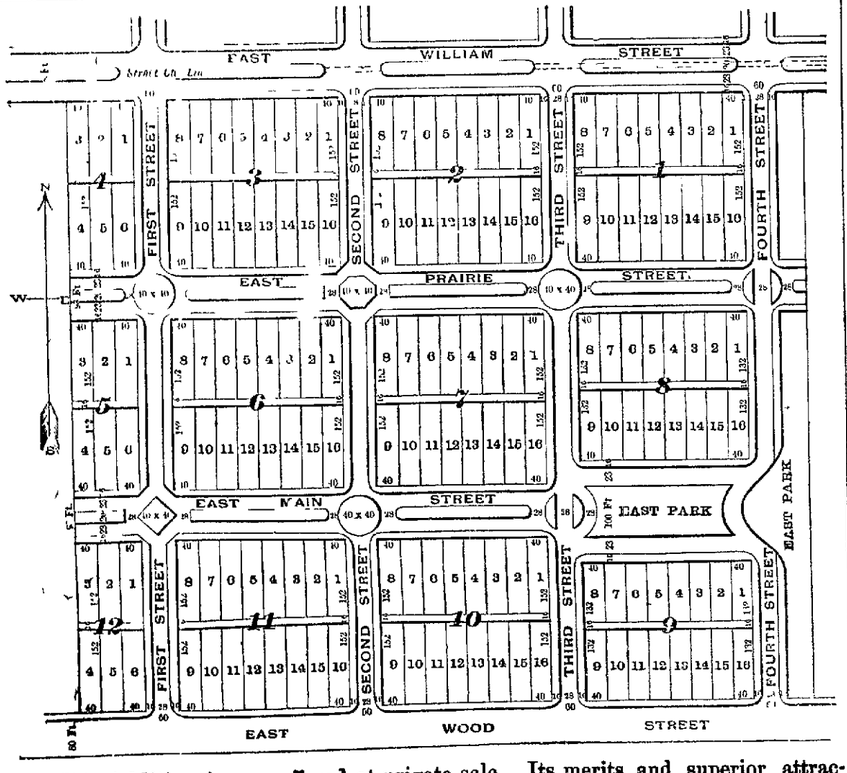

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Fifty pieces 38-inch Garner Batiste, early price 12½c, price to close, 6¼c.

One lot Printed India Linens, dark shades, early price 15c; price to close, 7c.

One lot White India Linens, Satin Plaids and Stripes, worth 25c to 35c—now 15c.

25c and 30c White Chemisettes for 15c.

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July 26-d&wtf

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Publication Notice in Chancery.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss.

In the Circuit Court—To the September Term, A. D. 1888.

Christena H. Stewart vs. Pleasant H. Stewart—In Chancery. Bill for Divorce.

Notice is hereby given to you, the said Pleasant H. Stewart, respondent in the above entitled cause, that Christena H. Stewart, the complainant, in said cause, has heretofore filed in said court on the chancery side thereof, her bill of complaint against you, the said respondent, for a divorce, and that thereupon a summons in chancery issued out of said court against you, the said Pleasant H. Stewart, in said cause, returnable at the court house of said county, in the city of Decatur, on the first day of the next term of said court to-wit, on the Fourth Monday in the month of September A. D. 1888, and that said suit is still pending and undetermined in said court.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

W. T. CUSSINS Complainant's Solicitor.

July25-d4w

Sealed Bids.

Public Notice is hereby given that the contract for the improvement of East Eldorado street, from the east rail of the main track of the Illinois Central Railroad east to the city limits, by curbing, grading, gravelling, guttering, and paving with brick according to the plans and specifications of an ordinance relating thereto, passed by the City Council on the 21st day of May, A. D. 1888, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder, and that sealed bids will be received at the office of the City Clerk in Decatur, Illinois, from the date hereof until 4 o'clock p. m. of Monday, the 20th day of August, A. D. 1888, for the labor and for the materials for said improvement, and for the entire improvement including labor and materials. A sample of brick to be used must be filed with bids. All bids when received will be submitted to the City Council for its action.

July20-d5t F. O. BIRTZER, City Clerk.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of one special execution to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Marshall Field, Lorenzo G. Woodhouse, Harlow N. Higinbotham, Joseph N. Field and John G. McWilliams, partners in trade under the firm names of Marshall Field & Co., and against George W. Cowles, I will expose to sale the following property, to-wit: Lot twelve (12), in block two (2), in E. B. Durfee's First Addition to the City of Decatur, taken as property of the said George W. Cowles, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 25th day of August, A. D. 1888, at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 2nd day of August, A. D. 1888.

J. H. MAUZY, Sheriff Macon County, Illinois.

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Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of one execution to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Daniel H. Hellman and Edgar W. Hellman, partners, as D. H. Hellman & Son, and against Emily V. Trainer, I will expose to sale the following property, to-wit: The southwest quarter of the northeast quarter, and the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter, and the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter, all in Section Twenty (20), Township Fifteen (15) North Range One (1) East of the Third Principal Meridian, taken as property of the said Emily V. Trainer, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 25th day of August, A. D. 1888, at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

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June 21-d&wt

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

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SATURDAY EVE., AUG. 11, 1888.

THE yellow fever has made its appearance in Jacksonville, Florida, and the inhabitants are panic-stricken. The fever is said to be spreading in various portions of the state.

THE next political conundrum will be the fate of the Senate tariff bill Mr. Mills' bantling is just now as dead as Julius Cæsar, and the result that awaits the Senate bill can hardly be guessed at.

THE Democrats are kicking because their old-time organ, the Decatur *Herald*, has left their party and "joined the band." In its new found zeal it calls upon its readers to go with the excursion to Indianapolis on Tuesday to "See the next President."

SUPPOSE the Democrats of New York state nominate Hill for governor and the city Democrats put up Hewitt for mayor, the situation in New York will be a very curious one. Hill hates Hewitt almost as bad as Hewitt hates Hill, and both are anything but sweet on Cleveland. With each endeavoring to cut the throats of the other two the prospects for the success of any of them are not bright enough for use as a mirror

THERE is not quite so much laughing on the back seats of the Democratic party just now as there was six weeks ago. There is not so much indifference to the charge of free trade as there was a short time since. There is not so much money recklessly risked by the sporting fraternity as there was right after the St. Louis convention. On the whole there is not so much backbone in the Democratic situation as there was a few weeks ago, and what there is appears to be growing weaker

THE transparencies in the Blaine procession in New York city were very effective One of them was as follows

"America in words glad tidings
To make our foes and friends
We do not hail our chosen
From England or from France

Maxwell

The execution of Hugh M Brooks, *alias* Walter H Lennox Maxwell, removes from earth one of the most abandoned villains known to our criminal history He did not belong to that large class of criminals who commit capital crimes as the result of vicious habits formed during a long career of lesser villainies, neither did he belong to that other large division of felons who in a moment of passion give way to evil propensities. The evidence in his case goes to show that he deliberately planned the murder of the man who was his friend, that he cunningly induced him to come a thousand miles into the interior, murdered him robbed him, mutilated his body and then went on a debauch with the stolen money, took the dead man's clothing and went to San Francisco masquerading as an officer of the French army, shipped for New Zealand under a fresh assumed name, and deported himself generally as one who had not upon his soul the blackest of all crimes. He was one of the most abandoned criminals of the day, and although a few half cracked humanitarians allowed themselves to be carried away by their sympathies the vast majority of the American people believe that he was justly punished, and only regret that his crime had not been more quickly followed by its merited reward.

THE CHURCHES TO-MORROW.

U. B. CENTENNARY CHAPEL

458 North Broadway St Preaching at 10 30 a m and 7 30 p m Sabbath school at 2 p. m. Class meeting at 9 30 a. m. All are welcome. J. W. Borgess, pastor.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH

Sunday school every morning at 9 30. No other service until September 1st

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. Shantz, of Mycrstown, Pa, will preach at 10 30 a m and 7 15 p m. Sabbath school at 2 p m. All are invited

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Service at 10 30 a. m by the pastor. Sunday school at 2 p. m. Mission Sunday school, at 2 p m, corner of N College and Packard Sts. All cordially invited

STAPP'S CHAPEL M E CHURCH

Class meeting at 9 a m. Preaching at 10 30 a m and 7 30 p m Morning subject, "Glory of the Church" Song service and brief sermon at 7 30 p. m Sunday school at 2 p m Mission Sunday school, corner N. Broadway and Herkimer Sts., at 9 a. m. All are welcome

FIRST M E CHURCH

Class at 9 a. m. Preaching by the pastor, James Millar, at 10 30 a m subject, "Spiritual Force and His Men of Action." Sabbath school at 2 p m No evening service.

Y. M. C. A.

Jail service at 9 o'clock a m. People's praise song and service at 1 p m, topic, "Best Channel for Enthusiasm," led by L. S. Hill, superintendent of St paul's Chapel Sunday school. Come and enjoy the blessings others are receiving.

W. C. T. U.

Gospel temperance meeting at the W C. T. U. rooms, 255 N. Main street, Sunday afternoon at 3 30 o'clock. Mr J. W. Green will have charge of the meeting. All are cordially invited.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Paul M. Donigan, of Constantinople, will lecture at the Christian church Sunday evening, August 12. Subject, "Turkey and the Turks."

Funeral Sunday.

The funeral of the late William H. Gipson will be held at the family residence, 540 North Jackson street, at 9 o'clock to-morrow (Sunday) forenoon. Macon Lodge No. 8, A. F. and A. M., will conduct the obsequies The sermon will be preached by Rev Geo E Scrimger, pastor of Stapp's Chapel M E church.

Special Notice.

A party wishes to make an addition to his home requiring about 20,000 brick, and the lumber, &c., &c., necessary. Any one willing to furnish it can take one-half cash, the balance in unimproved out-lots. Call on J. LEGORGEN & SON. 10-d6

Screened Nut Coal.

The Decatur Coal Co. has put up new roller screens at the mines, and is now prepared to furnish double screened nut coal, delivered to any part of the city, at $1.75 per ton. Nut coal has heretofore sold at the same price as lump. By the use of these screens the coal is freed from all slack and dust, and makes it a very superior article for cooking purposes. 6d6

OFFICE hours of the Musical College—from 9 to 12 a.m. Cor. Main and William streets. Miss Clara Irwin, Principal. aug4-tosept1

THE Bluegrass Shop will make you low figures on vehicle work. ap16-dtf

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HOME AGAIN.

The Illustrious American Citizen Reaches New York and Disembarks.

Addresses of Welcome by Mr. Bartlett, President of the Republican Clubs, and Mr. Blaine's Reply.

News by Carrier Pigeons—Reception, Addresses of Welcome and Serenade by Workingmen.

Scenes and Incidents of the Reception—Mr Blaine's Health—An Irate Superintendent and a Lucky Guard.

Home Again

NEW YORK, Aug 10—The steamer City of New York was boarded five miles off Sandy Hook, while at anchor waiting for high tide to cross the bar, by representatives of the press, who learned that the voyage was a pleasant, uneventful one and that Mr Blaine was well and had not suffered from sea-sickness. Mr Blaine said he was in excellent health and that his trip had renewed his youth.

About eight o'clock the steamer Starin met the City of New York outside the Narrows The Starin turned about and both vessels slowly steamed up the bay, bow and bow Cheer after cheer rose from the decks of the Starin, although it was yet impossible to distinguish Mr. Blaine's form among the two thousand persons who stood on the decks of the huge steamer As the vessels neared each other Mr Blaine's form was at last made out, standing in a group of friends on the upper deck forward As cheer after cheer arose, Mr Blaine bowed repeatedly He was nattily dressed in a dark cutaway coat, light trousers and brown derby hat

The Chicago Blaine Club's little tug had been the first to greet the steamer as it came up the bay, and clung under its wing while the Chicago men cheered.

Cappa's band on the Starin played "Home Again", and "Home, Sweet Home", and the "Star-Spangled Banner", while advancing up to Quarantine. Then both vessels came to anchor, and as the Starin ran over under the side of the City of New York, Mr Blaine's face and form were plainly visible to every one on board Cheer after cheer broke forth, handkerchiefs and flags were waved, cries of "Blaine, James G Blaine", "No free trade", arose, and the utmost enthusiasm prevailed

At last at fifteen minutes past nine o'clock, to the music of "Hail to the Chief", Mr Blaine got on board the Starin escorted by Whitelaw Reid and Mr Pool

MR BARTLETT'S SPEECH.

Mr Bartlett delivered the following speech of welcome

MR BLAINE—The Republican Club of the City of New York and its invited guests tender to you their warmest greeting and sincerest congratulations upon your arrival once more in health and strength on these shores When the club first proposed their reception it was not that it was an act having any political significance but rather as a private expression of love and regard of one whom we look upon as our most illustrious citizen but we found the suggestion aroused the friendly jealousy of the whole country, and it was insisted that your arrival should be the signal for a national demonstration greater than was originally intended and as a result there were assembled for several days in our city hosts of your friends from all over the country, waiting to pay you the enormous tribute of their respect and admiration The delay in your arrival has interfered with this programme to some extent Last night the great parade took place about 40 000 strong, lacking but one thing your inspiring presence Many of the parade is from abroad were compelled to return to their homes at an early hour this morning

We are not assembled here sir on this occasion in a spirit of adulation, to do homage to an occupying high official position we are we seeking to find favor with a candidate upon whom the mantle of power is soon to rest but we come to greet a private citizen whose name is so intimately associated in our history for the past generation that no office can add luster to his fame no office increase the esteem and admiration in which he is held by his fellow countrymen The history of the country for the last thirty years is the history of the Republican party As leader of that party in the House of Representatives, as Senator and Premier Minister you have won imperishable renown and instinctively are the hearts of the people to day than any man since the days of Henry Clay You have returned to us, sir at a crisis in our history when our industrial interests are imperilled and for a second time in our career as a Nation our fortunes are put in your hands Your voice has always been heard in behalf of American labor Your reply to the President's message published under the sign in December last struck the key note of this campaign History is repeating itself When the arm of hosts of treason sought to destroy the Government the Republican party saved the Nation Now when the Democratic party, intrenched in power adopts a policy that will prostrate our industries and compel our wage earners to compete with the pauper labor of the old world the Republican party stands once more the savior of the country The Solid South again dominates The Northern wing of the Democracy and the party thus inspired is encouraged by English sympathy as well as the effrontery in the dark years of our civil struggle, when we fought in defense of our political system in the field of war we can now in a more peaceful time, we contend for the protection of our industries and the preservation of American markets to American manufactures

In this campaign sir, the Republican party looks to you as its leading champion in debate, for the battle waging in the battle between Protection and Free Trade now in progress With the banner of Harrison and Morton full high advanced when you lead to victory the Republican party will know who to follow

One blast upon your bugle horn were worth a thousand men,

Again sir we bid you welcome to your native land

On the conclusion of Mr Bartlett's speech, cheers for Mr Blaine and Bartlett were given again and again When quiet was restored Mr Blaine said

MR CHAIRMAN AND GENTLEMEN OF THE REPUBLICAN CLUB OF NEW YORK To enable you to appreciate this welcome each and every one of you should be absent from home and country for the long period of fourteen months I am sure you can have little conception of the great gratification I experience that the instant I see the shores of the great Republic I should be greeted by you and these gentlemen It is shadowed only by the regret that a great sorrow has fallen upon the Nation which exerts as the first place of American news General Sheridan was above party and for the Union of States With the exception of this untoward incident my reception upon my native shores would have been unattended with any thing but what was joyous and happy

The campaign upon which we are about to enter is one which I wish could be prefaced by every American voter seeing what I have seen and hearing what I have heard in the past year Its progress is watched with interest as profound in England as in the United States It is the opportunity of a verdict by which the pauper labor and peasant fabric of the old world seek to invade the new and seek to lower the American laborer to the level of the European laborer. It is not a contest of capital against capital It is a contest to decide whether the great mass of American citizens who earn their bread in the sweat of their brows shall be seriously reduced in their emoluments from day to day. That is the whole pitch of their argument. Any thing which diverts the attention of the people from it is weakening the situation, and I say here what I hope to say hereafter with more elaboration, that the wages of the American laborer can not be reduced except by the vote of the American laborer himself The appeal lies to him It comes to his door and asks him whether, with the great power of the franchise of the great majority he possess in his own hands, he is willing for himself and his associates, his children and his children's children to take that fatal step, at the bidding of an American Congress and an American President, who are governed by that element which sought to destroy this Nation

But, gentlemen, it is not a time for a political speech My heart is too full to enter at this time on a lengthened argument In this moment of welcome and joy, getting home to old scenes and old friends I must be allowed to enjoy the pleasant emotions of the occasion I can only add my fervent thanks to each and every member of the club and to all my friends for the generous and joyous welcome they have extended to me in the harbor of New York

While Mr Blaine was speaking the cabin was packed to its utmost limits, and heads were thrust in through the windows from the dock without, eager to hear every word spoken The greatest enthusiasm prevailed, and every point made was quickly seized and cheered. An outburst of cheering followed the conclusion of the brief speech Mr. Blaine was escorted into the ladies' saloon, where he received a number of his friends. In a little while he ascended to the saloon upon the upper deck, where he received the congratulations of all, having a pleasant word for all who greeted him While there he was handed an address by Edward Fitzwilliam, of Boston, representing the Workingmen's Protective Union of Massachusetts. He was also presented with an address by Murat Halstead, representing the Young Men's Blaine Club of Cincinnati.

To a reporter, Mr. Blaine said that he did not know whether he would go on to Maine to-night or not He did not know what arrangements had been made for him When told that the Irish-Americans proposed to serenade him to-night and present an address, he replied. "That's all right. I'm glad of it." As to what part he would take in the campaign, Mr. Blaine said he could say nothing at present. He did not think he would go outside the State of Maine until after the State election there on the second Monday in September When asked about his health, he at first said he was perfectly well, and then added, laughingly: "That's a question I have not answered in three years." To a question as to the political aspect, his reply was that he did not care to say any thing then, further than he had said in his speech. W H H. Miller, the law partner of General Harrison, was cordially greeted, and Mr. Blaine inquired for the General's health

Mr Blaine said he and his family enjoyed the trip over, and that on the whole it was a pleasant one. He said they had three days of fogs and what land lubbers might call rough weather, but they had nothing to complain of The Starin, meanwhile, was steaming up North river, with the band playing and its passengers indulging in cheers for Blaine All along the river it was escorted by the police boat Patrol, the Chicago Blaine Club tug and other vessels, while a constant series of shrill salutes from the steam whistles from the boats it passed marked its progress to the pier at Twenty-second street and the North river, where Mr Blaine and all on board disembarked.

The police landed from the Patrol and preserved order, while others, already stationed at the entrance to the pier, prevented the large crowd waiting in the street from surging in Mr. Blaine was escorted to an open carriage by Messrs. Pool and Bartlett, of the Republican Club, and was at once driven to the Fifth Avenue Hotel, where rooms had been engaged for him Mrs. Blaine, Miss Blaine, Miss Dodge, Walker Blaine, Mr and Mrs. James G Blaine, Jr., and others were rapidly driven to the hotel in other carriages awaiting the party on the pier.

Events, as they occurred on the boat from the moment Mr Blaine boarded it, were quickly recorded and sent to the Associated Press by carrier pigeons. A pigeon Mrs James G Blaine, Jr, dispatched at Quarantine earlier in the morning arrived at its destination with its message within half an hour from the time it left her hands. A second pigeon was sent away by Mrs Carson Lake, and a third by Mrs Alexander Sullivan, of the Chicago *Tribune* The corridors of the Fifth Avenue Hotel were crowded this morning by prominent Republicans, members of the Republican Club and others, who had gathered to greet Mr. Blaine on his arrival there A posse of police, under command of Sergeant Sheldon, of the Nineteenth precinct, was on hand, stationed outside the hotel, and when word was received that Mr. Blaine was on the way from the North river, the police escorted a delegation of members of the Republican Club from their rooms in Twenty-second street to meet him.

Seated in the reading-room of the hotel was Levi P Morton, and about the corridors were Whitelaw Reid, William Walter Phelps, Murat Halstead, Chairman Quay of the National committee and Thomas C Platt

A few minutes after eleven o'clock Mr Blaine arrived, and was greeted with general cheers He went immediately to his room, but cries of "Speech" brought him to the head of the stairs, when he said: "Just a word to thank you for your tribute It is the grandest sight and the most cheerful sound I have heard for a year."

He then went to the suite of apartments which had been prepared for him, and where his family had already gone It consists of five rooms, Nos 79, 80, 81, 82 and 83, situated on the Twenty-third street and Fifth avenue corner on the second floor

The workingmen's serenade to Mr. Blaine, which was postponed from Wednesday, will take place to-night

The Evening's Programme.

NEW YORK, Aug 11—After returning from his drive yesterday afternoon, Mr. Blaine retired to his room in the Fifth Avenue Hotel and rested until evening, none of the hundreds of people who thronged the hotel being admitted to disturb him.

At eight o'clock the crowd in and around Madison Square numbered many thousands. The people whiled away the time shouting for "Blaine", "Harrison" and "Morton" The crowd represented all classes of society On the stand were J. P Archibald, Master Workman Magee and a number of other labor leaders, as well as the officers of various Republican organizations here and out of town. S. B Elkins, Perry Carson, Walker Blaine and others were also conspicuous.

At half-past eight o'clock Chairman Austin E. Ford called the labor meeting to order from the grand stand, and after a few words of tribute to Mr. Blaine, he sent Cappa's band to the hotel balcony to serenade the distinguished statesman. The band played "Marching Through Georgia", the crowd adding their voices. "Home, Sweet Home" was then rendered, and in a few moments a storm of applause arose as the hero of the occasion made his appearance. Mr Blaine came from the hotel leaning on the arm of Hon. L P Morton, and followed by Ex-Senator Platt, General Alger, Walker and Emmons Blaine, a committee of escort. They were aided through the crowd by the police to the stand.

When Mr. Blaine appeared on the stand Mr. Ford again called the meeting to order, and called on Mr. David Healy to read an address on behalf of the workingmen of New York to Mr Blaine. The address was a strong indorsement of protectionism

Mr Blaine was then introduced, and after the applause had subsided, delivered a long and earnest address which was received with tremendous applause by the immense audience.

After the speech, Mr. Blaine returned to the hotel, where an informal reception was held in his apartments

Among those present were Messrs Elkins, Manley, Charles Emory Smith, Congressman McKinley and Gail Hamilton and other members of Mr. Blaine's family.

Mr Elkins says Mr Blaine will probably go East Monday morning

A LUCKY GUARD.

He Offends His Employer and is Discharged, But Makes Powerful Friends

NEW YORK, Aug 11.—When young James G Blaine, his wife and Walker Blaine arrived at South Ferry yesterday evening, after their Japhet's trip in search of a father, in company with the Young Men's Blaine Club of Chicago, the whole party ascended to the elevated railroad structure, intending to board a Sixth Avenue train. Mrs. Blaine was escorted by Colonel Aylee, of Chicago, and amid the confusion incident to the arrival of large numbers of visitors to Coney Island, Mr Blaine became separated from his party. Mrs Blaine and the Chicago boys got safely on board the train, and it was not until it started that Mr. Blaine was missed. At the moment he came running up the platform, and Mr. Beardsley called upon the guard to stop the car for Mr Blaine The guard thought it was James G, Sr, for he pulled the cord and stopped the train The superintendent then came running out of his office and refused to allow the gates to be opened and ordered the guard to go ahead.

The Chicago boys were very much excited, and a lively time was anticipated Mr. Beardsley then called out to young Blaine to climb over the gate, and, although the train was moving and it was a dangerous feat, he complied and was dragged over the gate by his hosts. Before the train got away, however, the superintendent called out to the guard: "You are discharged for pulling the bell-cord. I will relieve you at the other end." The guard, who seemed to be a very clever sort of a fellow, felt the loss of his position keenly, but Mr Blaine gave him his card and informed him that he would be taken care of Several of the gentlemen from Chicago expressed a determination of personally soliciting Mr Hain to keep the guard in his position

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Games Played Friday, August 10, 1888.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Washington—Washingtons 8 Chicagos, 5
Philadelphia—Philadelphias, 5, Detroits, 8.
New York—New York 2, Pittsburghs, 1
Boston—Bostons 7, Indianapolis, 2

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Cincinnati—Cincinnatis, 5, Brooklyns, 2
St Louis—Browns, 8 Athletics, 1
Louisville—Louisvilles 7 Baltimores, 0
Kansas City—Kansas Citys, 6 Clevelands, 4

WESTERN ASSOCIATION

St Paul—St Pauls-Chicago Maroons—Rain
Sioux City—Kansas Citys-Sioux Citys—Rain
Milwaukees—Minneapolis 7, Milwaukees, 6
Des Moines—Des Moines Omahas—Rain

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Athletics at St Louis, Brooklyns at Cincinnati, Clevelands at Kansas City, Baltimores at Louisville

Gold Found in the Alleghany Mountains.

NEW YORK, Aug 11—A *Herald* special from Bollefont, Pa, says that a vein of gold quartz rock has been discovered in the Karthaus basin, located in the Allegheny mountains Indications are that the rock will yield about $100 per ton, and there is great excitement among the farmers and others in the neighborhood.

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He Maintains His Courage to the Last, and Dies Without a Struggle.

Henry Landgraf, the Murderer of His Sweetheart, Hanged From the Same Gallows—Maxwell's Crime.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 11—Hugh M. Brooks, alias Walter H. Lennox Maxwell, the murderer of Charles Arthur Preller, and Henry Landgraff, who killed his sweetheart, Annie Tisch, are no more, the sentence of the law having been executed upon them at nine o'clock yesterday morning.

Maxwell spent his last evening on earth smoking and talking with his guards. A few minutes before midnight both prisoners retired and Landgraff slept until morning Maxwell awoke at two o'clock complaining of being cold. He drank a cup of coffee and spent the remainder of the early morning hours reading Belassy's "True Virtue".

It was half past five o'clock when Father Tihan administered the sacrament to Maxwell and Landgraf in Maxwell's cell Maxwell had given up all hope and seemed resigned, but when Sheriff Harrington granted a delay until nine o'clock to give the fullest opportunity for a further respite, he brightened up only to become resigned again when the last hour came

The hours of vigil during the long night waiting for the fatal approach of dawn were agonizing enough to the doomed prisoners, but they were as nothing to the short respite of three hours. Every moment was an eternity, and yet the seconds, the minutes and the hours flew by with terrible rapidity Doubtless the delay was ordered by the sheriff in the spirit of mercy and fair play and with the intention that if Governor Morehouse should change his mind about the respite the reprieve would not come too late, but nevertheless it meant the prolonging of Maxwell's agony

When the postponement of the execution was announced the deputies, by order of Sheriff Harrington, placed both prisoners in Maxwell's cell and shielded them from observation The contrast between them was great indeed. Landgraff's phlegmatic nature bore him up well in the terrible ordeal. His all night's sleep had visibly refreshed him, and he appeared cheerful Maxwell looked on the other hand as though nine-tenths of his vitality were gone. His hands were as cold as ice. The relaxation to his overstrung nerves caused by the unexpected delay left him trembling like a leaf He managed to force down a couple of cups of hot, strong coffee, which inspired a little warmth in his bloodless frame. His features, however, still retained their haggard look; deep lines were drawn about his mouth as he had already in imagination suffered the horrors of a thousand deaths. But it was a physical rather than a mental weakening, the collapse of the body rather than of the mind and heart His voice did not tremble, though it was lower and huskier than usual.

Maxwell's Father

At 8 45 a m a squad of police, in charge of Sergeant Campbell, marched into the jail and formed a line from the gate to the cells of Maxwell and Landgraf, who had been separated by the guards a few minutes before Through this lane then marched a procession, Sheriff Harrington first, then Deputy Sheriff Joseph Harrington with the death warrants, then Deputy Sheriff Mike Fortin with the pinioning ropes, and then several other deputies The death warrant was read by the sheriff to Maxwell and Landgraf, and the arms of both were tied behind them by Deputy Sheriff Fortin Then there was a cry of "back!" and the crowd surged away from the cell doors

The procession left the cells at 8 53 a m In two minutes the deputy sheriffs and the doomed men were on the scaffold

The black caps were placed over their heads neither saying a word, the nooses placed around their necks, and in another minute the trap was sprung Landgraf fell six feet and Maxwell seven feet, and the fall broke the neck of each. The bodies hung motionless without a jerk of the limbs, as Doctors Priest and Jacobson announced the varying pulsations

Maxwell held his crucifix for six minutes, when it dropped from his nerveless fingers. In thirteen minutes Landgraf was declared dead by Dr. Jacobson, but it was four minutes after when Dr Priest released his hold of Maxwell's wrist, saying "He's gone"

Even in death Maxwell surprised observers The medical men had all predicted that his vitality would be found to be less than Landgraf's and he would die sooner.

Deputy Sheriff Michael Fortin stated that both Landgraf and Maxwell had shown great bravery and fortitude, but the calmness and control of Maxwell surpassed any thing of the kind he had ever witnessed "It is not every man that would exhibit nerve enough, when he lost step with me in the procession to catch up with a trip as if he were leading a lady down Fourth street," said he.

The police arrangements were perfect, and Chief Huebler and Captain Joyce deserve great praise for the order maintained

Crowds gathered outside the principal entrance to the Four Courts about five o'clock in the morning and remained patiently waiting until after the drop fell in the hope of catching stray bits of information.

Maxwell's Crime.

A brief resume of this most remarkable case in Missouri jurisprudence may not be out of place at this time Hugh Mottram Brooks, alias W H Lennox Maxwell, alias Theodore Cecil d' Auquier and C A Preller, his victim, became acquainted on the passage over from England on the steamship Cephalonia in the early part of 1885 Brooks was endeavoring to make his way to New Zealand, where he expected to meet a profligate English acquaintance—a certain Harry Evans—with whom he had become involved in some shady transaction in the neighborhood of his home at Hyde, England. It transpired that Preller was heading for the same direction on a business trip for the firm; for which he was representative, and as Preller was well supplied with funds and Brooks was not, there arose the first incentive to cultivate Preller's acquaintance and friendship This Brooks proceeded to accomplish by a course of mendacity and deceit that would do credit to the most accomplished American bunco steerer

Arriving in America, Brooks remained in the East while Preller journeyed Westward, and by appointment the two met at the Southern Hotel, St. Louis, about the beginning of April, 1885 It would seem that Brooks had by this time about reached the limit of his financial resources, and desired to obtain assistance from his friend to enable him to reach the destination he had set out for—New Zealand Preller, though liberally supplied with means for his own needs, was not prepared to carry double, and so intimated to his friend, and then began the concoction of the scheme which resulted in one of the most sensational crimes that has ever blackened the annals of Missouri Just how the deed was accomplished will probably never be known but that Preller was killed in some way by the administration of chloroform is settled Then came the disposal of the body by packing it in a trunk after denuding the features of their hirsute adornments to prevent indentification, and the labeling it with the now famous words "So Perish All Traitors to the Great Cause" The body thus disposed of, the next thought of the murderer was for his own safety He had secured the funds of his victim, some $1 200, and after a few preparations began his flight toward his original destination.

But by the inscrutible workings of the nemesis which invariably follows the perpetrator of crime, he left a clew at every turn, and, although several days had elapsed before the murder was discovered, by reason of the foul odor emanating from the trunk in the hotel room, the detectives were not long in settling upon the route taken by the fugitive and his purpose to put the Pacific ocean between him and his pursuers He had reckoned without his host, however, for although by the time he was definitely located he was safely on board the steamship City of Sidney, with no ocean telegraph to overtake him, there was an other route by which he could be reached, and the St Louis authorities, determined not to be outwitted by the little Englishman, called into requisition the cable service via England, Suez, East Indies, Singapore, Australia and Auckland so that by the time the murderer had crossed the Pacific his crime was known and the American Consul and New Zealand officials were ready to receive him and hold him until the necessary requisition could be made for his return to this country for trial Probably no criminal fleeing from the scene of his crime was ever so thoroughly dumfounded as was Brooks when arrested on board the City of Sidney as she entered Auckland harbor

The wonderful nerve displayed by the culprit all through this remarkable case showed itself from the time of his arrest—or rather after the first few moments of surprise had passed, and there, on New Zealand soil began the persistent fight that has but just ended Securing counsel in Auckland, the habeas corpus was invoked, but failed to secure release, the prisoner being remanded to jail to await the arrival of the American officers with the requisition of the United States Government The evidence that he was the man wanted was found among his effects, and after some little delay he was duly turned over to Detectives Tracey and Badger and by them brought back to St Louis, arriving August 16

Before reaching St. Louis the now famous criminal was met on the train by Hon John I Martin, of the legal firm of Martin & Fauntleroy who tendered the services of himself and partner for his defense The tender was accepted, and from that day until this, when the final act was performed in the tragedy, no men have ever worked more faithfully in the cause of a client than have they It was a case purely of circumstantial evidence, but the circumstances were of such character that no link in the chain was wanting in the final summing up of the evidence at the trial, which occupied nearly four weeks in the Criminal Court, and which resulted in a verdict of "guilty of murder in the first degree" The trial was concluded June 5, 1886, and then began the real fight, the case being taken to the State Supreme Court, where the judgment of the trial court was affirmed and afterward to the United States Supreme Court, which decided it had no jurisdiction in the case, no Federal point being involved Efforts for rehearing in both the latter courts necessarily covered a great deal of time and the case was finally narrowed down to the decision of the Governor of the State of Missouri on an application for commutation which was ably pleaded by the indefatigable attorneys, but without success beyond obtaining a respite of twenty eight days from the date set for execution in July last

As a final resort the British Government was, by some means prevailed upon to ask a further respite but Governor Morehouse unable to see wherein any thing was to be gained by further delay and feeling confident that the State had fully established the guilt of the accused, and also being unwilling to saddle upon the State the unnecessary expense of further proceedings in a case that had already cost a moderate fortune, ($8 000) respectfully but firmly declined to interfere further with the due execution of the penalty of the law And thus the terrible crime has at last been expiated

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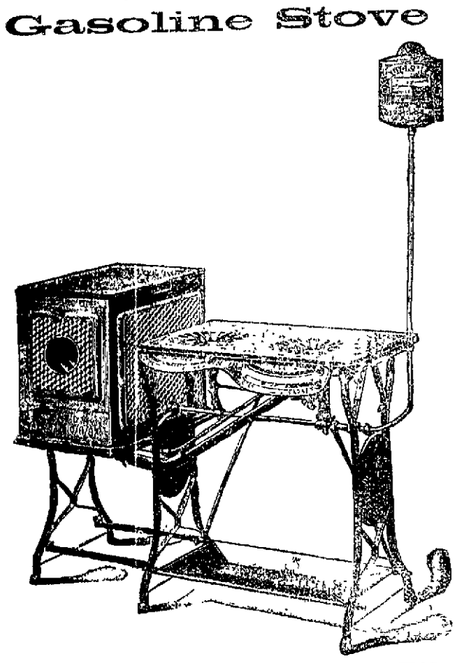

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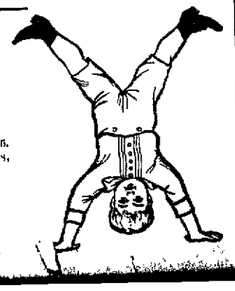

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DAILY REPUBLICAN.

SATURDAY EVE., AUG. 11, 1888.

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WE are authorized to announce EDMISTON MCCLELLAN as a candidate for Circuit Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican county convention.

WE are authorized to announce JESSE R. BENBURE as a candidate for Coroner, subject to the Republican county convention

WE are authorized to announce CAPT. GEO. S. DURFEE as the soldiers' candidate for Circuit Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

LOCAL NEWS.

GIRLS, ask papa to buy you one of those nice tricycles at E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.'s.

"REDDY'S LUCK" to-night.

PURE milk shake at Irwin's.

THE Teachers' Institute will convene Monday for two weeks.

BUY groceries and fruits to suit you at Knode & Osborne's store on Water street.

ALWAYS ask for Shellabarger's White Loaf flour. All grocers sell it.

GO WITH the crowd to Indianapolis on Tuesday, over the T. H. & P. road.

THE best of groceries and fruits every day at Niedermeyer's store on the Mound.

DR. EDWARDS, state superintendent, will address the Macon county teachers at the Institute Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The public generally are invited.

FRESH Baltimore oysters just received at Krob's Prairie street restaurant. 10-d2.

THE Woodworth faith cure combination has gone to St. Louis to open up on the sinners and afflicted.

IT will pay you to buy supplies for the table every day at J. Lytle & Co.'s family grocery store.

INSTANTANEOUS VIEWS; all sizes. Henderson; Tel. 7. June 26-d2m

SAM'L TROUTMAN, at Beardsale this week, threshed 31 acres of oats which weighed from the machine 2087 bushels, making over 62 bushels to the acre.

GUESS what "See the Decatur" means.

BUY the popular White Foam flour at all leading grocery stores.

SOME unknown urchin last night threw a stone and broke one of the plate-glass windows in the front of Peter Perl's undertaking rooms. No insurance.

PROF. WESTHOFF will organize a juvenile singing class at the Baptist church, on Thursday afternoon, Aug. 16, at 2:30 o'clock sharp. 11d2*

THE Wabash has a sleeper at the depot for the $7.00 Niagara Falls excursion for August 14th. Call at the office and get your berths reserved. 8-d3

DON'T waste your money on inferior instruments. Select a Haines or Everett piano at C. B. Prescott's music parlor in Opera block.

LIQUID BREAD at Irwin's drug store.

STEP in at J. Lytle & Co.'s grocery store and get Vienna bread, fruits, vegetables and delicious groceries.

THERE is no real comfort in winter without a Palace King furnace. Buy one at Lytle & Eckels' hardware store.

GUESS what "See the Decatur" means.

JOHN RUSSELL, phrenologist and fortune teller, is still at the Brown House, 318 East Main St., Room 11. Go and see him, for he beats them all. 9-d6*

ANYTHING you want in the family grocery line on sale at Hanks & Patterson's store, 143 South Water street.

PUPILS of the Musical College wishing to compete for the prize for regular attendance during the year, must enter at the first of the term, Sept. 3. aug4-td

TELEPHONE 444 for 10c package delivery, or Western Union. Trunk to any part of the city, 15c. july6-dtf

HAIL Shorb's red wagon and get the best quality of coal oil and gasoline delivered at your door.

ROACH KILLER at Irwin's drug store.

THE best family flour, groceries and fruits every day at Moore Bros.' store, Opera block.

The Macon Meeting.

After much drumming, about 100 Decatur Democrats got into hacks at Lincoln Square last evening and went to Macon to hear a talk by Ex-Senator Whiting, a politician from the northern part of the state with a sore head—made sore because he failed to receive a renomination for office. It is said that his long drawn-out effort made votes for the Republican ticket. During the afternoon Lawyer Shumway, of Taylorville, addressed the people. The Decatur managers had more hacks on the square than they could use and four had to go back to the stables. The decorations were of the bandana colors and shape.

THE BEST COAL

$1.70 Per Ton (2000 lbs.) $1.70 per Ton—Telephone 55.

If you want the Best Coal ever sold in Decatur, order one or two tons of Dawson Coal of V. H. Parke & Son at $1.70 per ton. Our guarantee is on every ton, either Lump or Nut. At this price we must sell only for cash. We keep all sizes Lehigh and Scranton Hard Coal; also every kind of Stock Feed you may want, best quality and lowest price. Telephone 55, 621 N. Main St.
11-d6 V. H. PARKE & SON.

FOR the next 30 days I will sell Vapor Stoves and Baby Carriages *at cost.*
HARRY FISK,
Aug9-d6 Court House Block.

500 Campaign Republican Club Plug Hats just received at B. Stine'd.

OUTDOOR Photo work; guaranteed. HENDERSON. Tel. 7. [June 26-d2m

Street Car Enterprise.

President Shellabarger and Manager Ferguson are home from St. Louis. While in that city yesterday they purchased eight fine mules for the street car line—making a total of 56 head now at the stables. They also bought a new closed car which will arrive on the 14th. It will seat 20 people—four more than the largest cars now in use. It is 14 feet in length, is brass mounted, has corrugated reflectors, and side straps to ring the bell. It will be the handsomest car in use. The company now has 14 cars on the line.

A 5 O'Clock Tea.

Last evening Mrs. E. A. Jones, Mrs. Theron Powers and the Misses Jones gave a delightful five o'clock tea at their home north of the city, complimentary to Mrs. W. W. Daniel, of Columbus, Ohio, to which the ladies of the Ridotto Club were invited. The ladies present were Mrs. C. A. Ewing, Mrs. D. A. Maffit, Mrs. Sedgwick, Mrs. C. B. Moore, Mrs. Albert Barnes, Mrs. A. S. Robinson, Misses Fannie Fuller, Maud Burrows and Carrie Powers.

The Water Works.

Engineer Barnett states that it is necessary to clean out the old boilers at the works at once, as the new boilers have not been accepted. Therefore he desires the public to be very economical in the use of water for a few days, as while the cleaning is in progress but one boiler can be used. The electric light will be turned off Sunday and Monday nights.

Appointed Postmaster.

Jacob Troutman, of Troutman Station, four miles west of Decatur on the Wabash road, is in the city to-day, and is about the happiest man in seven states, all on account of the following official notice received from Washington City this morning:

POSTOFFICE DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 7, 1888.
HON. J. H. ROWELL,
House of Representatives,
Dear Captain I have to-day established the postoffice at Troutman, in Macon county, Ill., and appointed Jacob Troutman postmaster. Yours truly,
WM. DORR HAYNIE,
Acting First Ass't Posmaster General.

This notice to Congressman Rowell was enclosed to Mr Troutman with this note:

"JACOB TROUTMAN—*Dear Sir* Here is your postoffice."
Signed, J. H. ROWELL.

The people in the vicinity of Trontman Station will find the postoffice a great convenience in many respects, as trains will stop there regularly both ways. The station will enjoy a boom in a business way, and in time when Decatur becomes overcrowded no doubt many elegant suburban residences will go up in that vicinity, all on account of the hustling enterprise of Postmaster Troutman.

In Memory of Sheridan.

By order of the Postmaster General the postoffices throughout the country were closed to-day from 10.30 a. m. until 2 p. m., during the funeral of the late Gen. Phil Sheridan, as a mark of respect. The Decatur postoffice was closed from 11 a. m. to 2 o'clock.

Grand PARADE MONDAY Night

Republicans, Turn Out!

MONDAY Eve., Aug. 13, at 6:30

Meet at Headquarters to go to the depot with Decatur band, in order to meet and escort the Ringgold Band, of Terre Haute.

Let everybody come out—Young Republican Club, Veteran Club, all who want to see Harrison and Morton elected.

Concert at the Park.

The novel concert given by colored vocal talent at Oakland Park last night under the management of William Holland, attracted about 300 people who were well entertained. The songs were given on the park stage. The selections were, "Dust, Dust to Ashes," "A-inching Along," "Those Dry Bones," "Brother Noah Built the Ark," "May the Lord be with We," "Those Naughty Girls," "Good Old Georgia," and "Good Evening to You All." There was an amusing cotton scene, with ham-bone variations by James Moore and John Caldwell. The party is arranging to give a fine minstrel performance at the park in the near future. Keep a lookout for fun and old-time plantation songs.

IT is stated that prairie chickens are much more numerous this year than for several years past. This increase is attributed to the rigid enforcement of the game law. These fowls multiply quite rapidly and if sportsmen will let them alone, as the law provides, until the expiration of time, they will again be quite plenty. Then a law should be enacted to prevent the wholesale slaughter of the birds, in order that they may continue plenty.

The Minstrels.

The Troy *Times* had this to say of the Gorman Minstrel troupe, which is to appear Wednesday night at the opera house:

Gormans' Spectacular Minstrels gave one of the finest of minstrel performances at Rand's last night. The costumes and properties were new and elegant, the jokes had a pristine flavor that is always charming. E. M. Hall was a show by himself, as usual, and a dozen others might be as well mentioned, including the Gormans. "The Golden Ball" extravaganza was highly meritorious.

See ad. for prices.

A Big Fall.

A well-dressed stranger entered the store of Harry Fisk and proceeded to buy an entire outfit with which to keep house. All on account of the Big Fall in Prices of Furniture, Stoves, and everything else in the housekeeping line.
11-d6

THE very successful engagement of the Maude Atkinson company will close tonight at the opera house with the rattling comedy, "Reddy's Luck." Last night there was a fine audience out to witness the beautiful society drama, "Forget-Me-Not," with Miss Atkinson as *Stephanie*, a scheming adventuress, who appeared in elaborate costumes and lived the character in so artistic a manner as to win the admiration and applause of all present. Miss Olive Grove divided the honors with the star, and Mr. Hoey and Mr. Johnston acquitted themselves finely. Truly the Atkinson troupe is larger and better than ever, and can justly command what are known as popular prices, 25, 50 and 75 cents.

EICH & BOEHM will sell you Fancy Dry Goods and notions on a small margin.
7-d1w 135 East Main St.

Political and Trip Notes.

Private Joe Fifer will deliver an address at Mattoon next Tuesday evening. The next day he will speak at Newton, Jasper county.

Don't forget it. There will be two chair cars on the T. H. & P. excursion train to Indianapolis. Secure a reserved chair by calling on Newt Davis at Hubbard's book store.

You should get your ticket without delay for the Indianapolis trip. The T. H. & P. train will start promptly from the Union depot at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday morning and make the journey in five hours. Tickets good to return on regular trains August 15.

There will be a parade of the Young Men's Republican Club Monday night in Decatur. Every member should report at headquarters promptly at seven o'clock. Let us give the home people some idea how we will appear on the streets at Indianapolis Tuesday when we greet the next president.

Lookout for the new club banner. It will be made of blue silk, nicely trimmed with gold and bullion and surmounted by a golden eagle—the proud American bird.

Plenty of seats on the excursion train for everybody. Go with the crowd over the T. H. & P. road. On the way Tom Fields will provide the party with sandwiches and coffee.

The Drum Corps boys will look gay in the procession with George Bell as the energetic baton swinger.

On arriving at Indianapolis the campaign clubs at that city will escort the Decatur delegation to the Dennison Hotel, thence to the point where Gen. Harrison will meet and address the visitors. Don't get separated; stay with the crowd.

The Escort Glee Club will be on the excursion train.

Special arrangements have been made by which the excursion tickets over the T. H. & P. road will be good to return from Indianapolis on regular trains August 15th. Parties who wish to visit the Hoosier capital on business, or to visit friends, should make a note of this and buy their tickets by way of the T. H. & P. route.

The Union Veteran badges have arrived. They are odd and pretty.

The Republicans of Douglas county are making arrangements to call on Gen. Harrison at Indianapolis Tuesday next, over 1,000 strong. Large delegations will be made up in Atwood, Camargo, Murdock, Newman and Tuscola, and two log cabins mounted on flat-cars will be a feature of the occasion.

As one result of the Democratic powwow at Macon last night, to-day J. R. Race & Co. received an order for about 50 Harrison hats which were sent to the Republican club at Macon this forenoon.

Club badges can be had of Newt Davis at Hubbard's book store. They sell at 40 cents each, including the enamaled pin.

The list of Tippecanoe voters residing in this vicinity is increasing in size: A. C. Wikoff voted for Harrison in 1840 and attended a rally at Dayton where 120,000 people were present; Daniel Schenck, of Maroa, and J. S. Shasted, of Oreana, voted in 1840; Samuel McKinley, of Decatur, voted for old Tip at the court house in Decatur, and Cornelius Boone, the park custodian, who is 83 years of age, voted for Tip twice, casting his first vote for Jackson in 1828. All will vote for Gen. Harrison in November.

Base Ball Sunday.

The Decatur Reds and The Fleurys will have another interesting game at the ball park Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The late game was 8 to 0—one of the prettiest of the season.

Sales of Real Estate.

Clara Cooper to Sylvester Bilby, tract of land in Mt. Zion township, $20.

Adella C. Carter to James A. Carroll, lot 4, block 1, G. F. Wessels' addition, $800.

J. N. Bills to Adella C. Carter, quit claim to above lot, $150.

Samuel G. Malone to Felix B. Tait, lots 5 and 8 and the south half of lot 4, in block 5, Reid & Co.'s addition, $5500.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. Dr. W. B. Caldwell, of Monticello, visited Decatur friends this week.

Miss Verneal Carter, of Ashland Ohio, is in the city visiting Mrs. R. C. Hamsher.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore, August 10, a daughter.

Mrs. John Freeman, of Moawequa, was in the city yesterday on a shopping expedition.

Mrs. Silas Packard and daughter, Miss Annie, will return from the east next week.

Mrs. F. B. Caldwell, of Chicago, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. R. Abbott, at the St. Nicholas.

Miss Minnie Boward, of Hagerstown, Md., was at the Hotel Brunswick, where she was met by her sister, Mrs. J. A. Reed, of Moawequa, Ill.

Rev. J. S. Woods has arrived home from Oskaloosa, Iowa, where he attended the Iowa African M. E. conference. He was transferred to the Illinois conference.

Rev. F. J. F. Schantz, of Myerstown, Pa., is a guest of M. L. Deck and family. He will occupy the pulpit at the English Lutheran church to-morrow.

John Freeman, jr., came up from Moawequa this forenoon on his bicycle. He took the railroad track and covered the distance of 15 miles in one hour and forty-five minutes.

Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Buckingham returned this morning from their pleasure trip to the summer resorts of Colorado, visiting various points on and about the Rocky Mountains.

Dr. J. M. Lee, of Argenta, J. P. Harrah, of Terre Haute, Dr. Cole, City, J. H. Anent, of Chicago, Ed. Wilepp, of St. John, Kansas, and John S. Bixby, city, were at the Hotel Brunswick, yesterday.

John C. Boyce, of Mt. Zion, was in the city to-day. He reports that Rev. H. D. Onyett, late of Indiana, has been secured as pastor of the Cumberland Presbyterian church at Mt. Zion, and that the church has paid $450 for a parsonage.

F. B. Mueller, who, be it known, has deserted the sinking Democratic ship and now wears a Harrison hat which greatly enhances his personal appearance, has gone to St. Louis on business. He will see the game between the St. Louis Browns and Athletics, of Philadelphia. Decatur will be well represented at the game to-morrow.

Masonic.

Special meeting of Macon Lodge No. 8, on Sunday morning at 8 o'clock sharp, to attend the funeral of our late brother, W. H. Gipson. Members of Ionic Lodge and visiting brethren invited.
C. L. HOVEY, W. M.
T. W. PINKERTON Sec'y.

I. D. & W. R'y Harrison Excursion.

A special train will leave Decatur at 7 50 a. m. Tuesday, August 14th, and will make a fast run, arriving at Indianapolis in ample time for dinner. Fare for the round trip only $1.50, tickets good going on special train and returning good on any train up to and including No. 3, leaving Indianapolis at 11 p. m., August 15th.
JOHN. S. LAZARUS,
Aug11-d2 G. F. A., I., D. & W. R'y.

GOLD-HEADED Silk Umbrellas, the finest in the market, at B. Stine'd. dt

FRESH lunch every evening at Ben Boynton's summer resort on South Water street. july10-dtf

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Chevalier Bayard Lodge No. 189 Instituted Last Night.

The Visitors, Banquet, Etc.

Deputy Grand Chancellor I. D. Walker, assisted by members of the Decatur and Maroa lodges, commenced to confer degrees upon members of the new lodge at half past one o'clock yesterday afternoon and by hard, continuous labor had conferred the first and second degrees upon eighteen members up to 6 o'clock. In the evening J. W. Patterson, Chancellor Commander of the Illinois Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias, arrived from Springfield, accompanied by members of the Capital City Lodge, who with the assistance of members from Maroa, continued the conferring of degrees until 11 o'clock. At this time eighteen candidates had received three degrees, and the first degree had been conferred upon forty-one others.

At 11 o'clock luncheon was announced, and the Knights, accompanied by the visiting brethren, repaired to the St. Nicholas Hotel where covers were laid for over two hundred guests. The bill of fare was as follows:

Cold Slaw. Mixed Pickles.
Cold Chicken. Boiled Ham.
Sliced Veal. Smoked Beef Tongue.
Vienna Bread. French Rolls.
Chicken Salad. Celery. Sliced Tomatoes.
Vanilla Ice Cream. Jelly Roll. Pound Cake.
Coconut Cake. Sliced Watermelons.
Peaches. Apples. Pears.
French Coffee. Tea.

After luncheon many of the Knights returned to the hall and continued the work of the lodge until after 2 o'clock this morning.

The new lodge has eighty-seven charter members, and the following names appear upon the roll:

I. A. Buckingham, J. R. Burres, C. M. Durfee, W. H. Shorb, S. E. Galbraith, B. F. Bobo, John Grass, Chas. Kellam, F. K. Bartholomew, John Kline, F. E. Bucher, L. H. Clark, J. C. Hostetler, E. B. Judson, J. A. Roney, J. M. Hughes, T. W. Cann, S. T. Keeler, W. H. Addis, J. F. Grindol, F. P. Wells, L. L. Crosthwait, E. F. Willis, A. F. Vize, H. E. Travis, L. S. Cool, R. W. Ferguson, J. L. Elkins, G. W. Handy, C. E. Smith, R. J. Simpson, Robert Hunter, W. L. Smith, R. J. Stratton, G. R. Bacon, N. T. Watson, F. H. Hall, Joseph Lapham, C. L. Hovey, A. Kaufman, T. A. Nicholson, G. J. Parke, J. E. King, George R. Steele, H. W. Bartholomew, Dr. Harsha, J. W. Alexander, W R. Abbott, D. H. Cloyd, J. T. Bentley, J. H Snarr, C. W. Montgomery, R. W. Chilson, C. D. Fenner, W. H. Prestley, W. R. Wise, F L. Stevenson, W. W. Dunnigan, G. E. Smith, J. R. Hayden, Chas. Lowerie, Dr. Catto, J. D. Templeton, Albert Barnes, W. M. Strange, G. A. Henderson, O. B. Gorin, Art Race, A. B. Alexander, E G. Allen, I. R Mills, W. L Brown, G. B. Flack, Prof. Coontadt, J. E. Stumpf, Walter Hutchin, Harry Hord, L. E. Foster, J H Pritchett, C R. McCandless, J. E. Quimby, W H. Acuff, F. W. Swearingen, Alex Decke, Seymour Campbell, A. W. Wilmeth, A. J. Thompson, A. L. Hill, Frank Haven, W. Z. Walmsley

The ceremonies attending the institution of the new lodge were performed in the large hall of Cœur de Leon Lodge No. 17, who kindly offered the use of their hall and paraphernalia.

THE VISITING KNIGHTS.

Following is a list of the visiting Knights

Capital City Lodge, Springfield, Grand Chancellor Commander, Jas W. Patterson, Past Grand Chancellor Commander, J. B. Roper, C. P. Johnson, O. B Clark, Wiley Jones, John C. Mathias, W. H. Conkling, J. E. Everhart, F. R. Higgins, C. W. Feaster, L. R. Anderson.

Royal Lodge, Maroa: R. V Wikoff, Wm. McClurg, E. Friedman, J H. Roberts, Wm. Bush, H. G. Repler, Dr. G. M. Phelps, J. W. Manly, Louis Trummel, Samuel Lyons, A J. Lutz, D. E. Wagner, J. W. Dill, W. M. Stoutenborough, Frank Potter, N. A. Crouch, H. Glassford, R. Trummel, Gus Schenck, J. Schenck, M. Moore, Wm. Hendrick, Wm. East, J. H. Parker, Wm. Long, W. C Dine, M E. Huff.

Friendship Lodge, Oreana J. W. Scott, Chancellor Commander, J. Metcalf, Vice-Chancellor Commander; J. Shasted, H B. Kuhns, Charles Miller, J. E. Pitzer, J. S. Brown, Samuel Cooper, Samuel McPherson, R. Rainey, I. Querry, O. Reeme, Jerome Schister.

Argenta Lodge: W. A. Dunbar, C. E. Painter.

Cœur de Leon Lodge, No. 17, of Decatur, was represented by all of the active members.

The work of conferring degrees upon the new members will be continued until all are made Knights, but it is not likely that the work will be finished before Monday night.

The character of the membership is shown in the above list. A large majority of them being young men, they will no doubt give the K. of P. order a big boom in Decatur.

Sunday at the Park.

There will be religious services at Oakland Park at 11 a. m., at 3 p. m., and at 7:30 p. m. Sunday, under the auspices of the Antioch Baptist church, of which Rev. Archie Ward is pastor. Rev. Wm. Neal, of Indianapolis, and Rev. C. G. Jourdan, of Texas, will deliver sermons. The public is invited.

Around Home News.

J. M. Mitchell, of Urbana, a member of Company D, while at the camp at Springfield, distinguished himself by taking all the medals for shooting, as follows: Rifleman, marksman, expert and sharp-shooter.

Mr. Lafayette Funk, of Bloomington, has a calf that attracts much attention. It is a cross between a buffalo and a Durham cow, and is more noticeable in that a cross of this kind has been thought by many stockmen to be impossible.

Woods, the barber, formerly of Urbana, who was under sentence of death out west for killing his wife, escaped from jail. He has been recaptured and will be hung on the 17th inst.

Frank W. Stewart, of Forrest, has just completed a unique stock barn, probably the first of the kind ever built in Illinois. In shape it is half of a cylinder having a diameter of forty feet and is about forty feet in length. This shape it is claimed is much cheaper than the old style barn and affords more space. The sheep and cattle are ranged on the sides and the centre of the barn is filled up with eighty tons of feed. Mr. Stewart will also build another semi-circular barn, diameter about thirty-two feet.

"FLASHLIGHT" Photos; very fine. GEO. A. HENDERSON. Tel. 7. [26-d2m

STREET CARS will run on Water street after all entertainments at the Opera House. W. L. FERGUSON.
7-d5

Chicago Grain Market.

The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1 p. m. to-day, received by G. C. Caldwell, Secretary Decatur Grain Co.:

WHEAT—82⅛ Aug; 82⅞ Sep; 83⅝ Oct; 89¼ May.
CORN—44 Aug; 43⅞ Sep; 43¼ Oct; 37¼ May.
OATS—25⅜ Aug; 24⅛ Sep; 24¼ Oct; 27⅝ May.
PORK—$13.50 Aug; $13.50 Sep; $13.50 Oct.
LARD—$8.62 Aug; $8.65 Sep; $8.60 Oct.
RIBS—$7.95 Aug; $7.95 Sep; $7.92 Oct.

Live Stock—Estimated receipts—Hogs 6,000; prospects strong.
Cattle, 4,000; prospects steady.
Car Lots—Wheat: Winter, 126; Spring, 36. Corn, 414. Oats, 115.

WHITE VISTA for barkeepers at B. Stine's. dtf

THE RED FLAG!

We shall hoist the RED FLAG to-day, and this means that we shall sell goods at LESS THAN AUCTION PRICES until it is taken down.

We have no other reason for this than a determination to cut below any real or pretended quotations that may be made.

—BEAR IN MIND THAT—

LINN & SCRUGGS

DEAL ONLY IN FIRST CLASS GOODS.

Those who want Bargains in

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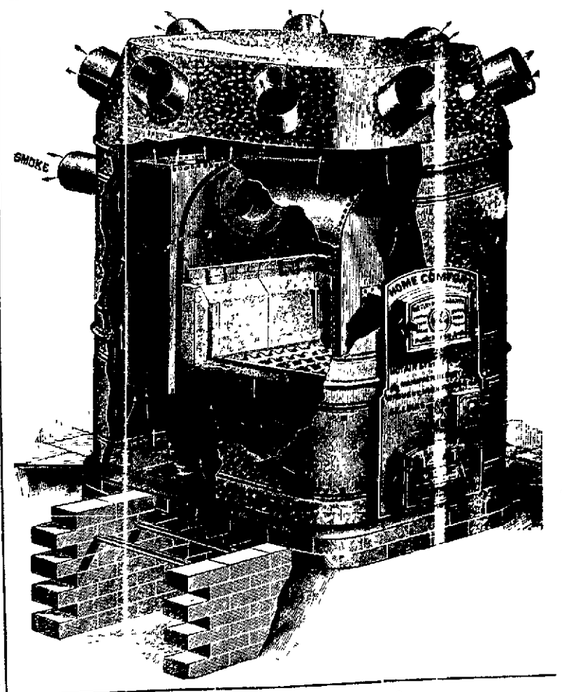

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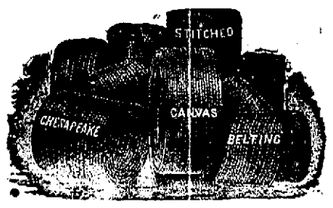

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Republican County Convention.

The Republicans of the several townships of Macon county are requested to send delegates to a County Convention, to be held at the Court House in Decatur on

Thursday, September 6th,

at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of nominating:

One candidate for Representative in the Legislature from the 29th Senatorial and Representative district.

One candidate for Circuit Clerk.

One candidate for State's Attorney.

One candidate for Surveyor.

One candidate for Coroner of Macon County.

The representation in said Convention will be based on the vote cast for Blaine and Logan in 1884, being one delegate for every 60 votes or fraction of 25 or over.

Each voting district or township will be entitled to the following delegates, to-wit:

Decatur—	1st	District..	2	Hickory	2
"	2d	" ..	1	Harristown	2
"	3d	" ..	3	IllinI	3
"	4th	" ..	3	Long Creek	3
"	5th	" ..	4	Macon	4
"	6th	" ..	4	Maroa	5
"	7th	" ..	4	Milam	1
"	8th	" ..	4	Mt. Zion	3
"	9th	" ..	4	Niantic	2
"	10th	" ..	2	Oakley	2
"	11th	" ..	3	Pleasant View	3
Austin			2	Wheatland	2
Blue Mound			3	Whitmore	3
Friends Creek			4		

It is earnestly recommended that primaries be held in each of the voting districts on Tuesday evening, September 4th.

M. F. KANAN, Chairman.

J. A. BARNES, Sec'y.

Decatur—1st Dist.—W. T. DILLEHUNT.
" 2d " —F. H. ROBBINS.
" 3d " —J. J. FINN.
" 4th " —F. W. HARDY.
" 5th " —A. L. LYTLE.
" 6th " —C. M. IMBODEN.
" 7th " —J. A. BARNES.
" 8th " —W. E. HAWORTH.
" 9th " —HENRY METZ.
" 10th " —
" 11th " —JAMES FREEMAN.
Austin—A. B. MCKEE.
Blue Mound—J. A. BARNES.
Friends Creek—H. C. GRIFFIN.
Hickory—SOL WILLIAMSON.
Harristown—J. B. CAMP.
Illini—C. P. HALL.
Long Creek—R. THOMAS.
Macon—O. H. DRAPER.
Maroa—1st Dist.—C. F. EMERY.
" 2d " —T. N. LEAVITT.
Milam—J. V. MOODY.
Mt. Zion—D. C. DAVIDSON.
Niantic—A. W. WELLS.
Oakley—FRANK MCCOY.
Pleasant View—W. S. MCCONNELL.
Wheatland—M. A. CONNARD.
Whitmore—JAS. LICHTENBERGER.

Hot Springs in Decatur.

All the advantages to be derived from a visit to Hot Springs, Ark., can now be secured by a visit to Dr. Roe's Medical Institute, south side of the new park, two doors east of Stoner's drug store. Both floors of the new Roberts building have been fitted up in first-class style with separate rooms for ladies with lady assistants in attendance. No institute in the state outside of Chicago is better equipped with all the latest improved methods of treatment. Including the electro vapor and hot air baths, medicated baths, static electricity, oxygen apparatus, etc. Special attention given to all diseases of the eye and ear, throat, nose and lungs; rheumatism and neuralgia cured by an improved method. We treat all chronic and nervous diseases. Consultation free. Best of references. Fifteen years' experience in such cases.
aug8-d6

Cheap Excursions South.

Cut this Notice Out and Keep It.

The Illinois Central Railroad will sell cheap excursion tickets to Jackson, Tenn.; Holly Springs, Aberdeen and Jackson, Miss.; Hammond, Jennings and Lake Charles, La., Tuesdays, July 31, August 14 and 28, September 11 and 25, October 9 and 23, November 6 and 20, and December 4 and 18. Agents west of Bloomington to Sioux City, Sioux Falls and Onawa, will sell for the evening train on Mondays previous to dates given above. Take the morning train from Dubuque and Chicago, Tuesday, July 31, and each succeeding Tuesdays during the months of August, September, October, November and December. For Home Seekers' Guides and printed matter, giving rates, dates and full information, apply to nearest coupon ticket agent, or address the undersigned at Manchester, Iowa.
J. F. MERRY, G. W. P. A.
july6-6t

Kid Gloves.

Our glove department was never so complete, and prices never so low as at present; beginning with Jouvin kids at 50 cents, Alexander at 90 cents, embroidered and plain, that cannot be equaled for quality and price; Treville black and colored, embroidered and plain at $1.18, the best gloves in the market for the money; real 4-button kids, embroidered and plain, at $1.25, equal to any other at $1.50. Also the new Fourchette in Mousquetaire street gloves in all the new shades, embroidered and plain, at popular prices.
March 31-d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

Hard Coal.

I am now receiving my hard coal direct from the mines of Scranton and Wilkesbarre. Chestnut No. 4 and stove size; also large size for furnace use. Call and see it before buying elsewhere. Telephone 433.
E. L. MARTIN.
aug1-d&w1mo

Northwestern Land Excursion.

The Illinois Central R. R. will run an excursion to points in the west and northwest, Tuesday, August 21st. Rate only one fare for the round trip. Write the undersigned for circulars giving full particulars and for pamphlet entitled "Attractions in Northwestern Iowa and Southern Dakota."
aug2-3t J. F. MERRY, G. W. P. A.

THE largest and best selected stock of Farm Machinery, Field and Garden Seeds, Buggies, Road Carts, Spring Wagons, Farm Wagons, etc., etc., in Central Illinois, at Spencer & Lehman's, corner of Wood and Main streets. Everybody who intends buying goods in their line will find it for their interest to call and examine their stock before buying.
mar28-d&wtf

Extraordinary Bargains

Is the heading of a new advertisement of Linn & Scruggs in another part of this paper, and one patent fact in their announcements of this character is, that they always mean and do what they say. Those who wish to buy the best goods, at low prices, will find them at
aprl4-d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

Vehicles.

One would have to travel a long distance before finding a larger or more select stock of vehicles than that now at the Spencer, Lehman & Co.'s store rooms. There are handsome and serviceable buggies, road carts, phetons and spring wagons in various styles and makes, and no one could fail to be suited eiher in style or price mar28-d&wtf

EXCURSION ½ FARE ROUND TRIP.

We are prepared on Low Shoes, men's ladies', misses' and children's, also Wigwams, to make prices that will please the closest buyers. Call early—must close out.
July 27-dtf POWERS & HAWORTH.

Gloves.

An elaborate assortment of Silk, Lisle and Thread Gloves and Mits, from the low price of 10 cents to the finest Milanese with welts and embroidered backs.
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Campaign Goods.

Large quantities of Republican and Democratic Hats on sale. Call early before they are gone, at EHRMAN'S.
aug1-dtf

MOREHOUSE, WELLS & CO. are constantly receiving new patterns, in Wood, Iron and Slate Mantels, Vestibule and Hearth Tiles, Fine Brass Fenders, Fire Sets, and everything pertaining to this one. No larger or more complete assortment can be found elsewhere. d&w

HENRY BROS. make the largest loaves of home made bread of any in the city. bread delivered promptly anywhere it is desired. nov23-dtf

THE Bluegrass Shop will repaint your carriage or wagon cheaper than elsewhere. Remember this. Repairing promptly done. March 3-dawtf

BUGGIES, Carriages, Carts and Whips
apr 27-dtf BUSHERT & CARR,
241 and 245 East William street.

UNTIL further notice the I. C. R. R. will sell excess baggage tickets at $10 each, being a reduction of 20 per cent. from former rates apr25-dtf

MODELS and machines *correctly* photographed. Henderson; Tel. 7.
June 26-d2m

LIGHT-WEIGHT Flannel Shirts, neatly made, perfect fits, elegant shades, well adapted for clerks, book-keepers and business men generally, at B. SELIGS'S.

NOVELTIES in Ladies' Felt Hats, at dtf B. SELIG'S.

THE THIRD PARTY FALLACY.

An Important Open Letter from the Head of the Iowa Temperance Alliance.

WATERLOO, IOWA, Aug. 7.—The Rev. Dr. Fellows of this city, president of the State Temperance Alliance, to-day issued an open letter to the Prohibitionists of Iowa on the subject of the third party movement. After assuming that all desire to use the best possible means to overthrow the rum traffic he says:

The question before us is a practical one—a question of means, not of ends; a question of judgment rather than of conscience; a question of method as to what is the wisest course and what are the best means to bring about the extermination of the liquor traffic. The end for which we strive includes three elements:

1. An enlightened public opinion which will neither patronize, support, nor tolerate such traffic in the State or Nation.

2. Prohibitory laws in both State and Nation answering to such public opinion.

3. The enforcement of such prohibition laws.

He adds that without the first the second would be useless, and might be harmful, and the third would be impossible, while to seek the second and third at the expense of the first would be unwise. He then considers at some length the partisan and non-partisan methods of securing the desired results. He cites the history of the old Abolition party, and says that anti-slavery leaders like William Lloyd Garrison, Wendell Phillips and Oliver Johnson opposed the formation of an abolition party, never united with it, and thought it wisest and best to remain in the old party and work for the reform until a public sentiment opposed to slavery could be secured. In closing his letter he says:

"Will any one say in the light of subsequent history that those leaders did wrong in refusing to support and abandoning a political organization when, as they believed, the organization tended to divide their forces, alienate their friends, and strengthen their enemies?"

Prohibitionists, he says, should consider well these lessons before they cast their votes this fall. Dr. Fellows says that he will issue two more open letters treating upon other phases of the subject. These letters, coming from the official head of the Iowa Temperance Alliance, will attract considerable attention.

A Democratic Estimate of Fifer.

Hon. James S. Ewing, of Bloomington, an earnest and life-long Democrat, and the present candidate for Elector on the Democratic State ticket for the Fourteenth District, in a speech delivered in that city a few days ago, after announcing his purpose to answer Mr. Fifer's Springfield speech said:

"I propose to answer that speech from a Democratic standpoint. Before I attempt to do so, however, I wish to say a few words of rather a personal nature. In referring to Mr. Fifer I said 'my friend,' and I mean just what I say. For nearly twenty years I have known him intimately, professionally and socially. When we have been associated together in the trial of causes I found him always able and willing to do his part; always polite and considerate. When I have had causes against him, I have found him always a foeman to be feared, but always honorable. Feeling thus I am glad to say political differences have not, and I believe cannot, diminish my respect for him or his for me. I regard him, in all respects, the equal in ability of any of the Republican leaders in this State, and I feel, therefore, that what has been said in the speech referred to is as well said and the cause as ably presented as could be by any Republican orator. Understand, therefore, that whatever I may have to say to you to-night about the speech in question must be free from any kind of personal feeling or bias."

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V. H. PARKE & Son,
aug4-d1w 621 North Main St.

HOOD'S POLITICAL POINTS, a handy little book for the presidential campaign, is just out. It contains finely engraved portraits and sketches of the candidates for president and vice president, (Rep., Dem. and Pro.,) electoral and popular votes in previous elections and other useful information. Copies may be had free of the druggists, or by sending a 2 cent stamp to C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

The General Harrison Reception.

The Indianapolis, Decatur & Western Railway presents its compliments to the disorganized Republicans, Democrats, Prohibitionists, Mugwumps and others desiring to visit Indianapolis on the occasion of the General Harrison reception, Tuesday, August 14th, and will be pleased to carry them over the only direct and legitimate route, at $1.50 for the round trip. Tickets will be good on regular train leaving Decatur at 6:30 a. m., and good returning on all trains up to and including train leaving Indianapolis at 11 p. m., Wednesday, August 15. Those preferring to patronize the short line should purchase their tickets the day before the excursion, in order that ample accommodations may be provided and the crowding and discomforts of a special train avoided.
Aug8 T. P. A., I., D. & W. R'y.

Cheap Excursion to Niagara Falls.

The promised CHEAP EXCURSION to Niagara Falls over the Wabash Railway, will leave by special train, Tuesday, August 14, via Toledo and the Michigan Central Railroad. The round trip rate from Decatur Station will be only $7.00. Tickets will be good going on special train of August 14th, to return at any time within five days after day of sale. A special return train will also be run, leaving Niagara Falls at 9 p. m. on August 16th. Ample time is thus afforded, with privilege of returning at any time within the five days limit. The splendid train service of the Wabash will make the trip one of continuous enjoyment. Information as to time of the special train, Sleeping Car accommodations, etc., can be obtained of any ticket agent of the Wabash, or by addressing H. R. GREGORY, Traveling Passenger and Excursion Agent, Danville, Ill. july21

The I., D. & W. Railway

Will run a Special Excursion from Decatur to Niagara Falls, leaving Decatur Tuesday, August 7th, at 6:30 a. m.; returning leave Niagara Falls Thursday, August 9th, at 6 p. m. Fare for the round trip, $7.00. Tickets good to return for five days from date of sale. Sleepers, reclining chair cars, dining cars, modern day coaches, berths and seats in chair cars secured in advance.
C. G. DORWIN,
aug2-dtd Gen'l Agt. I., D. & W. R'y.

ANYONE in search of a first-class cooking apparatus can find what they want in the "Home Comfort" Range sold by Morehouse, Wells & Co. One of the best housekeepers in the city says: "We did not know what home comfort was until we got a 'Home Comfort' range in the house." n30-tf

THE Court House Restaurant has been greatly enlarged and improved. The best of day board and good rooms. Rates as low as decent accommodations can be afforded at. Come and see me, 139 South Water street. W. A. COMBS.
july7-dtf

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WOOD PUMPS, Chain Pumps, Iron Force Pumps, for sale at Spencer & Lehman's.
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BREMEN, GA.—Willie White was afflicted with scrofula seven years. I prescribed S. S. S., and to-day he is a fat and robust boy. C. W. PARKER, M. D.

RICHMOND, VA., Dec. 13, 1885.—I have taken three bottles of Swift's Specific for secondary blood poison. It acts much better than potash or any other remedy I have ever used. B. F. WINFIELD, M. D., Formerly of Sussex Co., Va.

DR. R. J. HALE, the well-known druggist and physician, of Nashville, Howard County, Ark., writes: "Having some knowledge as to what S. S. S. is composed of, I can safely recommend it as the remedy for all skin diseases, it matters not what the name may be."

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[Notices in this column, of five lines or less will be inserted one week for 25 cents, payable in advance.]

WANTED—A situation as book-keeper, or an assistant, by a Business College graduate. aug10-d6*

REMEMBER the Globe Restaurant, first-class meals and lunch, oysters served up in good style in season. 131 E. Cerro Gordo St.
August 9-dtf

LOST—A small leather pocket-book between corner of Broadway and E. Eldorado streets and the Illinois Central R. R., containing some small change, three gold shirt studs and watch key. The finder will be rewarded by leaving it at the Illinois Central freight office.
9-d1w MRS. C. L. HOVEY.

$600.—A bargain if taken in ten days. A house of 3 rooms—close to street car.
8-d6 RANDOLPH & GIBER.

SAND AND GRAVEL For Sale, by the car load, or delivered any place in the city. Address FRANK PRIEST, Decatur, Ill.
aug7-d6-w1mo*

FOR SALE—The different buildings, sheds and lumber on the Macon county fair grounds, in lots to suit purchasers. Apply to J. A. MERIWEATHER, at Decatur National Bank.
aug4-d&w2w

CIDER-MAKING will commence at the cider press one mile south of Harristown on Monday, August 13. aug3-d6-w3

FOR SALE—The contents of a finely furnished room in the heart of the city; will sell the furniture at a bargain, and give lease on room for a month or five years if desired. Best of conveniences. Address "B." REPUBLICAN office. 6-d6t

LOST—A black onyx pin, on Saturday evening, between Curtis Bros.' store and the residence of R. J. Roberts. Leave pin at Curtis' store and receive a suitable reward. 6-d6*

FOR SALE OR TRADE—30 Bedsteads and Bedding, Mattresses and Springs, Iron Safe, Piano and Organ, lot of Furniture, Heating Stoves, Bread Trough, Large Cupboard, 12 Houses and Lots. Call at my office.
6-d6* H. PASCO.

WANTED—A girl to do general housework in small family; must be a good cook; no washing. Address "J." care of REPUBLICAN office. 4-d6

WANTED—Agents at the "Isitnotilsuited" Art Studio. $15.00 per week and expenses paid to the right party. Call or address "Isitnotilsuited" Art Studio, Decatur, Ill. mar31-d&wtf

FOR SALE—200 acres fine rich prairie farm, two miles south of Dalton City; all tiled, good hedge fence, orchard, grove and never-failing water; tenant house—handy to church and school, and in a first-class neighborhood. Title perfect. Can be bought on easy terms. Enquire of JOHNSON & KNIGHT, 156 Merchant Street, Decatur, Ill. july30-d6w4

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Farmers, take notice! I have several good brood mares to trade for good mules, or work horses; also some fine steers and young cows with calves to trade, or will purchase good horses, if I can buy them to suit. Address D. A. MAFFIT, or Telephone 106. july26-d&w1w

Choice Residence Property FOR SALE.

My late residence at 319 South Broadway, is offered for sale on easy terms. The lot is 100x150 feet, house of nine rooms, with as many closets, all well finished and in good repair. Well with new pump, cistern with pump in kitchen, good cellar, barn and carriage house, some fruit on lot and elegant shade trees.
d&wtf J. R. MOSSER.

TO RENT—The modern brick dwelling, No. 441 North Water street, St. John's place; gas, water, furnace and all modern improvements. Apply to L. BURROWS. july26-dtf

FOR SALE—Good beds, $2.00; chairs, per set, $2.00. Bureaus, Lounges, Oil and other stoves at half price. Everything cheap at the Furniture and Stove Exchange, 238 E. Main, 1st door east of Bachman Bros. 6-dtf

WANTED—Everybody to know that I am pressing, coloring, bleaching all kinds of ladies' and children's straw hats, and satisfaction guaranteed, at No. 512 North Morgan St.
july2-tf

RESTAURANT FOR SALE—Apply to A. C. Smith; reasonable terms. Apply at 753 Cerro Gordo St., Decatur, Ill. june19-dtf

AWNINGS.—Cox & Chamberlain, mattress manufacturers, are now prepared to make and put up awnings on short notice at the lowest possible prices. Any style or quality desired. Give them a call at the mattress factory, 553 North Broadway. mar15-dtf

Money to Loan,

In large or small sums, on real estate or personal property. Interest and commission reasonable. JOE R. BURRIS, Att'y at Law.
Office in Powers' New Building, Room 8,
June28-d&w3mos 156 South Water Street.

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july 16d&wtf

5 Grand Harvest Excursions 5.

The T. H. & P. Railway will run FIVE grand excursions during the Autumn months. Persons desiring to go to Nebraska, Minnesota, Arkansas, Kansas, Dakota, Texas and Colorado should avail themselves of one of these excursions. Trains will leave Decatur on the following Tuesdays:

August 21, September 11, September 25, October 9 and October 23.

Tickets good returning THIRTY days from date of sale. Close connections will be made with all roads and every attention paid excursionists in order to render these the most pleasant excursions ever having left Decatur. For further particulars call on or address any ticket agent on the line of the T. H. & P. R. R., or Thomas Pennell, excursion agent, in American Express Co.'s offices at Decatur, Ill.
Aug. 9 A. C. STEVENS, Gen. Pass. Agt.

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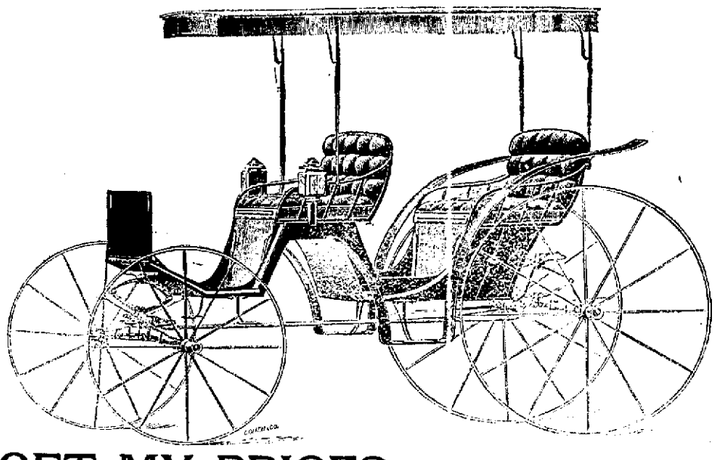

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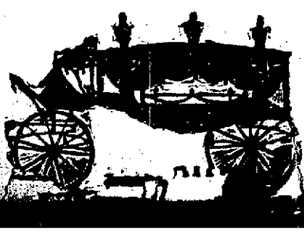
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